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In re the Application of:

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For:

SOFTWARE PROCESSING APPARATUS AND RECORDING MEDIUM ON WHICH

PROGRAM IS RECORDED

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed January 29, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on April 29, 2004. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to May 29, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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